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FOLLOWING REPEATS MONROVIA 6413 ACTION SECSTATE  
USDCOM WASHDC INFO ANKARA BANGKOK KINSHASA PHNOM  
PENH PRETORIA RANGOON SINGAPORE VIENTIANE CAPE  
TOWN 08 NOVEMBER 1974. QUOTE:

C O N F I D E N T I A L MONROVIA 6413

CAPTOWN FOR EMBASSY

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ESTC, EAIR, BGEN, PINS, RH, US, CG, TU, CB, SN, SF

SUBJECT: IROPOSAL BY STANLEY BOOKER SELL AIRCRAFT TO RHODESIA

1. AFRICA MANAGER CESSNA AIRCRAFT (PRTOECT) TOLD COMMERCIAL  
ATTACHE HE WAS RECENTLY APPROACHED IN KINSHASA BY AMCIT  
STANLEY BOOKER WITH PROPOSAL TO SELL AIRCRAFT TO RHODESIA.  
BOOKER PROPOSED CESSNA MANUFACTURE AIRCRAFT WITH KHMER  
REGISTRATION WHICH HE WOULD FERRY TOWARD CAMBODIA. WHEN  
AIRCRAFT REACHED MIDDLE EAST THEY WOULD UTE DISAPPEAR WITHOUT  
A TRACE UNQTE, SOMEHOW WINDING UP IN RHODESIA. BOOKER WAS  
TOLD CESSNA WAS NOT INTERESTEDCIRCUMVENTING TRADE EMBARGO.

2. BOOKER REPORTEDLY IN ZAIRE COMSUMMATING SALE OF F-27  
WHICH HE HAD IN TURKEY. HE SAID HE HAD ANOTHER F-27 IN  
TURKEY AS WELL AS DC-4 IN CAMBODIA AND ANOTHER IN ALASKA.  
BOOKER SAID HE HAD TO REMOVE DC-4 FROM CAMBODIA BEFORE END  
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OF YEAR OR IT WOULD BE CONFISCATED BY GKR.

3. FAILING IN ATTEMPT TO PROCEED SALISBURY FROM ZAIRE,  
BOOKER REPORTEDLY LEFT FOR SOUTH AFRICA ON PANAM OCTOBER 29,  
WITH STATED INTENTION OF PROCEEDING RHODEISA TO TRANSACT  
AIRCRAFT DEALS. HE REPORTEDLY CARRYING DOLS TWENTY THOUSAND  
IN CASH AND JEWELS HE CLAIMED HE RECEIVED FROM AIRCRAFT  
SALES IN SEA.

4. BOOKER DISPLAYED CALLING CARD AS DIRECTOR OF INTERNATIONAL  
AIR LTD. WITH ADRESSES IN SINGAPORE AND PHNOM PENH.  
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